

1: Marty, E. Les Mourides d'Amadou Bamba [The Murids of Amadou Bamba].
Revue du Monde Musulman, Vol. 25, pp. 3-164. Paris: La Mission Scientifique
du Maroc, 1913.

Yale: Bj2R.R32.24-25 [HRAF Ms: pp. 1-146]

/Translated from the French for the Human Relations Area Files by Ariane Brunel./

/This source discusses the development of Muridism, a sect of Islam, among the Wolof. Part I deals with Amadou Bamba, the leader and founder of the sect; the spread of Muridism and its leaders in each cercle; and the body of doctrine and religious practices. Part II is concerned with the influence of Muridism and Islam. This influence has been greatest in the economic and political realm. The institutions of customary law and practices of social life have been little affected. The author, however, gives a concise discussion of Wolof civil and criminal law, legal procedure, customs and traditions of social and domestic life; and points out

1: Marty, E.

Moslem practices that have not been adopted. Part III concludes with general statements on the sect and suggestions to the French administration for controlling the movement. There are 19 appendices, including a bibliography and one map. --Analyst. /

Field date: ca. 1913
Analyst: Joan Steffens

Evaluation: Government Official -4, 5
Processed in 1963

- 2: Bourlon, Abel. Actualité des Mourides et du Mouridisme [Actuality of the Murids and of Muridism]. L'Afrique et l'Asie, Vol. 46, pp. 10-30. Paris: Centre de Hautes Etudes Administratives sur l'Afrique et l'Asie Modernes, 1959.

Yale: Dtl. A37.1959 [HRAF MS: pp. 1-27]

[Translated from the French for the Human Relations Area Files by Jean H. Winchell.]

[This source supplements 1:Marty by reporting recent observations on the Murid sect. It discusses the current leaders, their influence and their relations with each other and the Administration; and the influence of Muridism on the economic, social, and political life of Senegal. Approximately half the source describes the yearly pilgrimage (Magal) to the holy city of Touba, its mosque and shrines. --Analyst]

Field date: no date
Analyst: Joan Steffens

Evaluation: Unknown-5
Processed in 1964

- 3: Savonnet, G. Les Villages de la Banlieue Thiessoise [The Villages of the Suburbs of Thies]. Bulletin de l'Institut Français d'Afrique Noire, vol. 17, pp. 371-387. Dakar, 1955.

[HRAF Ms. pp. 1-22]

Yale: A19 In5F 17

[Translated from the French for the Human Relations Area Files by Grace W. Moore.]

/This source is primarily a study of the effects of urbanization (the city of Thiès) upon rural modes of life in Senegal. Seven villages containing populations that belong to the principal ethnic groups of the region (Serer FA32, Wolof MS30, and Bambara FA8) and located at different proximities to the city were chosen. The author first discusses the physical environment, lay-out and appearance of each village as these vary with each ethnic group. He then shows how these villages

3: Savonnet, G.

have been influenced by the growth and development of Thiès, i.e., changes in settlement pattern, dwelling construction, employment, composition of population, social and economic organization, etc. --Analyst/

Field date: no date
Analyst: Millicent Kim

Evaluation: Ethnologist - 5
Processed in 1963

- 4: Mersadier, Yvon. Structure de Budgets Familiaux à Thiès. [The Structure of Familial Budgets in Thiès]. Bulletin de l'Institut Français d'Afrique Noire, Series B, vol. 17, pp. 388-432. Dakar, 1955.

[HRAF Ms. pp. 1-74.]

Yale: A19. In5F.17

[Translated from the French for the Human Relations Area Files by Grace W. Moore.]

/This source contains the results of a statistical study on the incomes and expenditures of 43 families in the city of Thiès. These sample families represent a range in income, ethnic grouping (Bambara FA8, Fulani MS11, Soninke MS21, Serer FA32, Tukolor MS27, Wolof MS30), occupation and number of people in the household. Source of income, surpluses, deficits and, in particular, regular expenses are discussed. The proportional amount of the specific expenses (kinds

4: Mersadier, Yvon.

of foods, condiments, drinks, taxes, rent, religious assessments, furniture, clothing, etc.) to each family income is covered in detail and illustrated by means of numerous tables. -- Analyst]

Field date: 1954

Analyst: Millicent Kim

Evaluation: Unknown - 5

Processed in 1963

5: Crowder, Michael. Senegal: A Study in French Assimilation Policy. London, New York, Ibadan: Oxford University Press, 1962.

Pp. x, 105; 1 map; tables.

Yale: DT549.5.C76

/This source is mainly concerned with the political organization of Senegal both as a French colony and an independent state. The French policy of assimilation, the African reaction against it, and developments leading to independence are given special attention. Also included is information on social organization: the French community, inter-ethnic relations, and rural-urban differences. -- Analyst/

Field date: 1955-1961
Analyst: Joan Steffens

Evaluation: Journalist - 5
Processed in 1963

6: Mercier, P. Evolution of Senegalese Elites. International Social Science Bulletin, Vol. 8, pp. 441-452. Paris: UNESCO, 1956.

Yale: N10.In77.8

/This article traces the development of a new intellectual elite and discusses its relation to other "elites" (e.g. "colonial elite") and the masses. Data are included on rural-urban differences. --Analyst/

Field date: no date
Analyst: Joan Steffens

Evaluation: Ethnologist - 5
Processed in 1963

- 7: Crowder, Michael. Pagans and Politicians. London: Hutchinson and Co. Ltd., 1959.

Only Chapter 2, "The Revolution," pp. 44-74 and 4 plates have been processed for this file.

Yale: DT471.C76

/This book is a popular account of a six-month journey in West Africa. The section processed provides insight into the urban life of Senegal--mainly Dakar, but also Gorée and St. Louis. The author includes short sketches of the political and intellectual leaders he encountered.

The treatment of the material is similar to that in "Africa Dances" by Geoffrey Gorer (see MS30 Wolof, 11: Gorer) which was written in 1935. -- Analyst/

Field date: 1955-1958
Analyst: Joan Steffens

Evaluation: Journalist - 5
Processed in 1963

- 8: Mercier, Paul. Political Life in the Urban Centers of Senegal: A Study of a Period of Transition. PROD Translations, Vol. 3, No. 10, pp. 3-20. Princeton: Institute of Political Science of Princeton, New Jersey, 1960.

Yale: 0a10. P15. 3

/This source traces the developments in urban political life in Senegal-- especially since 1953. The roles of party organizations and labor unions are discussed.

Pages of the original article printed in two columns with footnotes at the bottom have been repaginated by HRAF in three parts: for example, page 4 of the original is paginated as 4A, 4B, and 4C, the last containing footnotes and marked for the appropriate categories. --Analyst/

Field date: ca. 1955
Analyst: Joan Steffens

Evaluation: Ethnologist - 5
Processed in 1963

- 9: Cantrelle, Pierre. L'Endogamie des Populations du Fouta Sénégalais [The Endogamy of the Populations of the Senegalese Fouta]. Population, Vol. 15, pp. 665-676. Paris: L'Institut National D'Études Démographiques, 1960.

Yale: Nbn. P21e. 15 [HRAF Ms. pp. 1-16]

[Translated from the French for the Human Relations Area Files by Frieda Schütze.]

/This study of endogamy in the Fouta District of Senegal is based on a sampling of the total population. Endogamy is measured on the basis of the frequency of consanguineous marriages and the mean coefficient of consanguinity. This source, aside from giving information on marriage preferences and breeding isolates, also describes the caste or class system. Material on the principal ethnic group in the district, the Tukolor, has also been marked for file MS27. --Analyst/

Field date: 1957
Analyst: Joan Steffens

Evaluation: Ethnologist - 5
Processed in 1963

- 10: Thoré, L. Dagoudane-Pikine. Étude Démographique et Sociologique [Dagoudane-Pikine, a Demographic and Sociological Study]. Bulletin de l'Institut Français d'Afrique Noire, Série B, Vol. 24, pp. 155-198. Dakar: Institut Français d'Afrique Noire, 1962.

Yale: A19.In5F.24. [HRAF Ms. pp. 1-63]

[Translated from the French for the Human Relations Area Files by Frieda Schütze.]

/This source is a study of a city in the vicinity of Dakar. After describing the physical aspects of Pikine, the author presents information on the population: age, ethnic groups, sex ratio, place of origin and date of arrival, occupation, place of work, unemployment, education, religion, housing, standard of living and family and household size. Some of this information is given by ethnic group -- Wolof, Serer, Peul (Fulani) and Tukolor. There are 28 tables which summarize the data. (These appear to contain some discrepancies and should be carefully studied in order to evaluate the conclusions.) -- Analyst/

Field date: 1960
Analyst: Joan Steffens

Evaluation: Social Scientist - 5
Processed in 1964

- 11: Lèques, R. La Mode Actuelle chez les Dakaroises (Étude de Psychologie Sociale) [Current Fashion among the Women of Dakar (Study in Social Psychology)]. Bulletin de L'Institut Français d'Afrique Noire, Série B, Sciences Humaines, vol. 19, nos. 3-4, pp. 431-445. Dakar, 1957.

Yale: A19 In5F 19 [HRAF Ms. pp. 1-20]

[Translated from the French for the Human Relations Area Files by Frieda Schutze.]

[This source is an attempt to study, according to the author, "...the adaptation of the African to European fashion." The material is primarily a description of the testing methods used resulting in a statistical presentation of color choices and types of clothing. The ethnic group sampling proved to be too small to draw any serious conclusions. --Analyst]

Field date: 1956

Analyst: Millicent Kim

Evaluation: Psychologist-5

Processed in 1964

- 12: Holas, Bohamil. Quelques Recettes Employées au Senegal pour Provoquer les Reves [Some Methods Used in Senegal to Evoke Dreams]. Notes Africaines, No. 32, pp. 8-9. Dakar: Institut Francais d'Afrique Noire, 1946.

Chicago Natural History Museum: QH71.84.1 15n 29-40 [HRAF Ms.: pp. 1-2]

[Translated from the French for the Human Relations Area Files by Grace W. Moore.]

/This source discusses methods used to promote dreaming and shows the influence of Moslem beliefs. --Analyst/

Field date: no date
Analyst: Joan Steffens

Evaluation: Unknown - 5
Processed in 1963

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- 13: Diagne, Oumar Syr. Les Frais du Mariage Saint-Louisien -- Origines -- Principaux Aspects et Consequences [The Expenses of a Saint-Louis Marriage -- Origins -- Principal Aspects and Consequences]. Notes Africaines, No. 34, pp. 8-13. Dakar: Institut Français d'Afrique Noire, 1947.

Chicago Natural History Museum: QH71. 84.115n. 29-40
[HRAF MS: pp. 1-11]

/Translated from the French for the Human Relations Area Files by
Grace W. Moore. /

[This source discusses certain changes that have taken place in marriage customs in the large cities in Senegal (especially in Saint-Louis, the "center of good taste"). The author details the gifts and other expenses necessary at each phase of marriage. The effect of these changes of custom on the status of women is noted. -- Analyst]

Field date: no date
Analyst: Joan Steffens

Evaluation: Educator-5
Processed in 1963

- 14: Duchemin, G. J. Urbanisme Rural--le Village du Cambérène [Rural Urbanism--the Village of Cambérène]. Notes Africaines, No. 39, pp. 17-18. Dakar: Institut Francais d'Afrique Noire, 1948.

Chicago Natural History Museum: QH71.84.1 15n 29-40 [HRAF Ms: pp. 1-2]

[Translated from the French for the Human Relations Area Files by Grace W. Moore.]

/This source describes the settlement pattern of the village of Cambérène. It is of interest because the headman was influenced in his planning by that of Dakar. -- Analyst. /

Field date: no date
Analyst: Joan Steffens

Evaluation: Unknown - 5
Processed in 1963

- 15: Mauny, Raymond. Baobabs - Cimetières à Griots. /Baobab Cemeteries for Griots/. Notes Africaines, No. 67, pp. 72-76. Dakar: Institut Français d'Afrique Noire, 1955.

Chicago Natural History Museum: QH71. 84. 1. 15n. 61-75. /HRAF MS:pp. 1-9/

Translated from the French for the Human Relations Area Files by Jean Winchell.

[This source discusses the practice of burying griots (members of an "unclean" class) in the hollow trunk of a baobab tree, and describes the excavation of such a tree near Dakar. --Analyst]

Field date: 1955

Analyst: Joan Steffens

Evaluation: Ethnologist-5

Processed in 1964

- 16: Faur, J. B. Sur les principales Graminées du Sénégal et leur utilisation /On the Principal Gramineae of Senegal and Their Utilization/. Notes Africaines, No. 74, pp. 37-38. Dakar: Institut Français d'Afrique Noire, 1957.

Chicago Natural History Museum: QH71. 84. 1. 15n. 61-75. /HRAF MS:pp. 1-4/

Translated from the French for the Human Relations Area Files by Jean Winchell.

/The uses of the principal gramineae (grains, grasses, etc.) of Senegal are discussed here: i. e. food, medicine, building materials, animal fodder, etc. -- Analyst/

Field date: no date
Analyst: Joan Steffens

Evaluation: Unknown-5
Processed in 1964

- 17: Mercier, P. Aspects de la société africaine dans l'agglomération dakaroise: groupes familiaux et unités de voisinage /Aspects of African Society in the Agglomeration of Dakar: Family Groups and Neighborhood Units/. Études Sénégalaises, No. 5, pp. 11-40. Saint-Louis du Sénégal: Institut Français d'Afrique Noire, 1954.

American Geographical Society: 935 (?) /HRAF MS: pp. 1-57/

Translated from the French for the Human Relations Area Files by Carl Hille.

/This study investigates the importance of kinship, ethnic, and neighborhood factors in determining social relationships and groups in a sample of the permanent population of Dakar. Differences between socio-occupational categories are also discussed. -- Analyst/

Field date: 1953-1954

Analyst: Joan Steffens

Evaluation: Social Scientist-5

Processed in 1964

- 18: Savonnet, Georges. Une Ville Neuve du Sénégal: Thiès [A New City of Senegal: Thiès]. Les Cahiers d'Outre-Mer, vol. 9, no. 33, pp. 70-93. Bordeaux, 1956.

Yale: E10 B65C 9 [HRAF Ms. pp. 1-34]

[Translated from the French for the Human Relations Area Files by Frieda Schütze.]

[This source contains information on the growth and development of Thiès, its location, topography, history, growth of commerce and industry, the advent of the railroad workshops, etc. Of particular interest is the author's discussion of the ethnic groups in Thiès, their inter- and intra-relations, and the various "quarters" within the city, their origins, distinctive characteristics, and relationships to the ethnic or occupational group in residence. --Analyst]

Field date: ca. 1955
Analyst: Millicent Kim

Evaluation: Ethnologist-5
Processed in 1964

- 19: Pehaut, Yves. L'Arachide au Sénégal [The Groundnut in Senegal]. Les Cahiers d' Outre-Mer, Vol. 14, pp. 5-25. Bordeaux: L'Institut de Géographie de la Faculté des Lettres de Bordeaux avec le Concours de L'Institut de la France d'Outre-Mer de Bordeaux de la Société de Géographie de Bordeaux et du Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique, 1961.

4 photographs; 1 map

Yale: E10. B65C.14. [HRAF MS: pp. 1-31]

[Translated from the French for the Human Relations Area Files by Grace W. Moore.]

[In his discussion of the groundnut in Senegal, the author first describes the types of cultivation and the government's attempts to improve techniques. Then he considers the "trade" in groundnuts, including material on traders, transactions and government regulation of trade and prices. In conclusion he

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19: Pehaut, Yves.

relates groundnut production and trade to the total economy. The last two sections have much information on domestic and foreign trade. --Analyst]

Field date: no date
Analyst: Joan Steffens

Evaluation: Geographer-4
Processed in 1963

- 20: Seck, Assane. Dakar [Dakar]. Les Cahiers d'Outre-Mer, Vol. 14, pp. 372-392. Bordeaux: L'Institut de Géographie de la Faculté des Lettres de Bordeaux avec le Concours de L'Institut de la France d'Outre-Mer de Bordeaux de la Société de Géographie de Bordeaux et du Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique, 1961.

8 photographs; 6 maps.

Yale: E10. B65C. 14. [HRAF MS: pp. 1-35]

[Translated from the French for the Human Relations Area Files by Grace W. Moore.]

[This discussion of the city of Dakar includes a history of the city's beginnings, its development as a port and regional trade center, immigration and the composition of the population, the settlement plan and urban ecology. --Analyst]

Field date: no date

Analyst: Joan Steffens

Evaluation: Unknown-5

Processed in 1963

- 21: Verriere, Louis. La Population du Senegal [The Population of Senegal]. Ou en Est, Ou Va la Population du Senegal, pp. 1-30. Dakar: Institut de Science Economique Appliquée, 1963.

HRAF copy [HRAF MS:pp. 1-6]

Translated from the French for the Human Relations Area Files by G. W. Moore.

[This source gives the results of a demographic investigation by sampling undertaken in Senegal in 1960 and 1961. Only the section on "geographic distribution" (pp. 1-5) has been processed for the file. Information includes the population by region, ethnic groups and their distribution by area, and the urban population. --Analyst]

Field date: 1960-1961
Analyst: Joan Steffens

Evaluation: Government Official-5
Processed in 1963

- 22: Winterbotham, H.S. L. et al. French West Africa, Vol. II, The Colonies. No place [London?]: Great Britain, Admiralty, Naval Intelligence Division, 1944.

Pp. xvi, 596; 59 text figures; 131 plates. [Only pp. 395-476, figures 47-54 and plates 107-125 have been processed for this file.]

HRAF copy.

[This source gives much detailed information on the geography and history of Senegal; the ports and inland towns and their urban facilities; transportation, administration, trade and finance. --Analyst.]

Field date: no date
Analyst: Joan Steffens

Evaluation: Geographer-4
Processed in 1964

- 23: Aujas, L. La Région du Sine-Saloum. Le Port de Kaolack [The Region of Sine-Saloum. The Port of Kaolack]. Bulletin du Comité d'Etudes Historiques et Scientifiques de l'Afrique Occidentale Française, vol. 12, nos. 1-2, pp. 92-132. Paris: Gouvernement Général de l'Afrique Occidentale Française by Librairie Larose, 1929.

Yale: Bk19 5 12 [HRAF Ms. pp. 1-46]

[Translated from the French for the Human Relations Area Files in connection with the Human Relations Area Files Field Project.]

[This source contains specific information on the history, economic development, agricultural resources and water supply policies of the cercle of Sine-Saloum. In relation to this, information on the growth of Kaolack, an important import and export center within the cercle, is given. The author also discusses the history and accomplishments of cercle's agriculture cooperative, the Société de Prevoyance. --Analyst]

Field date: no date
Analyst: Millicent Kim

Evaluation: Government Official-5
Processed in 1964